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# PEOPLE TO VOTE ON TAXATION AMEN

# Cotton Mill Group For Process Taxes Pending New Plan

Resolutions Committee Of Manufacturers at Augusta Meet Is Studying Substitutes

BRICKBATS HURLED AGAINST THE AAA

Attacked from Several Sources, Including Textile Leaders: President's Secretary Is Onlooker at Augusta While Cabinet Committee Plans Conferences

Augusta, Ga., April 26 .- (AP) -- The resolutions committee of the American Cotton Manufacturers Association was represented today as favoring continuance of the cotton processing tax until a substitute is found. it was indicated the resolutions committee, headed by Donald Comer, Alabama, manufacturer, would insist on a specific substitute to provide relief for cotton farmers before suggesting that the processing tax be

The committee, which will report at Saturday's closing session, had before Wallace's 1934 report to President Roosevelt, in which the secretary recommended consideration of possible alternates for the processing tax.

He said it might be necessary to obtain revenue for benefit payments to farmers, either by increasing Fed. eral tafes or providing some new form

As two possible sources of revenue, Wallace suggested an increase in income taxes and a sales tax.

PRESIDENT'S CABINET TO BEGIN TEXTILE STUDIES Washington, April 27.—(AP)—While WET LEADERS SAY brickbats flew at the Farm Adjust-

ment Administration from several (Continued on Page Five)

#### Inheritances To Pay Bonus Is Suggested

Washington, April 26 (AP)-Chairman Harrison, of the Senate Finance Committee, today made public a letter from Secretary Morganthau proposing an inherifance tax system which could be used to cash the bonus, based on progressive rates running up to 60 percent

Morgenthau estimated that such a tax would yield about \$300,00,000 in 1936 and might bring in as thereafter.

### Say School Bill Shown Improperly

Local Heads Over State Accused Of Raising Smoke Screen About It

Daily Disputch Bureau, in the Si- Wulter Hotel,

BY J. C. BASKERVILL. Raleigh. April 26-The attempt being made by the opponents of the new pear that it concentrates still more authority in the State School Commission is nothing more than a smoke county superintendents who are opposed to Section 13 1-2, which would take the power to select the teachers out of the hands of the superintends power to the principals, according style creator. to Dr. Ralph W. McDonald, of Forcounty, and others who are convinced that the present school mal chinery act is the best that has been

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#### Hopkins To Hold Key Relief Post

Washington, April 26.—(AP)— Harry L. Hopkins, hitherto "mystery man" in the work-relief setup, was generall expected today to be placed in charge of the "division of progress" administering the \$4,000,000,000 fund.

The division, one of the main cogs in the works program, will have charge of checking up on and stimulating the activities of the undertaking to take 3,500,000 men off of relief rolls and give them

Hopkins, now the relief admintstrator, will serve as a member of the board which passes upon dis tribution of the \$4,000,000,000 fund to various projects. Secretary Ickes heads it.

# OVER LIQUOR BILL

Drys Say Line-Up Is Still 27 coming soon to the question whether To 23 Against When All Senators Are In Their Seats

MEASURE TO PASS

Effort Will Be Made To Re- Rural Electrification Produce Number of Counties Necessary To Permit State Liquor Stores In Referendum Proposed for June 8 DIVORCE ISSUE, ALSO

Dally Dispatch Burens, In the Sir Walter Hotel, BY J. C. BASKERVILL,

Raleigh, April 26.-What will the Senate do with the Day liquor bill? Will it do theu nexpected, as the House did, and pass it, or will it refuse to pass it, as itd id the Hill liquor stores bill?

When these questions were asked Senator Harris Newman, of New Hanover, Lee Gravely, of Nash, Owen Robertson, of Orange, and several others of the group in the Senate who next two years. have favored the enactment of a liquor bill, they all replied:

"Of course, the Senate is going to pass the Day bill. If the Senate is going to tax food, such as flour and meat and meal and milk, it cannot justify that action unless it also votes to tax liquor."

But the dry members of the Senate who for 108 days have blocked the enactment of the Hill liquor stores and liquor control bill, are just as emphatic in their declarations that the Senate will also refuse to pass the Day liquor bill, which calls for a

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# HOLLYWOOD ARENA

Two Dead, Third May Die as Result of Party In Designer's Rooms

Hollywood, Cal., April 26 (AP)-Death stalked through Hollywood toool machinery act to make it ap- day, leaving in its wage two men dead and a third probably fatally wounded. Confronted with apparent cases of murder, near murder and suicide, poscreen being sent up by the city and lice sought to unravel a weird maze of fact in the shooting up of: Hall Wharton, 25-year-old Holly

vood dress designer. William Howard, about 35, an exents and local school board and give navy ensign, and chauffeur for the Henry E. Bolte, 38, law instructor

Angeles. Wharton, known professionally as proposed since the State took over Paul Ivar, who assertedly had fash- feel sure that Doughton will not be

cost of operating the schools. | ioned clothes for several prominent

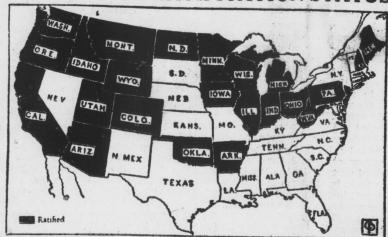
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In the Sir Walter Hotel, BY J. C. BASKERVILL.

Raleigh, April 26.—Despite reports from Washington to the effect that Congressman Robert L. Doughton will definitely announce whether or not he will become a candidate for governor in 1936 on Monday afternoon, and the belief in Washington that he at University of California at Los will become a candidate, there are many political observers here, both inside the General Assembly, who still a candidate for governor. All political

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#### **CHILD LABOR RATIFICATION STATUS**



Present status of child labor amendment to U. S. constitution Favorable action of 36 states is necessary for ratification.

## Bailey's Attack Upon Father Coughlin Grips Capital In Speculation

Detroit Radio Priest Called Man of "Damnable Ambition" by Tar Heel Senator; Capital Looks for Inkling of 1936 Presidential Line-Up as Result

d in the preliminary forming of political lines for 1936, the capital sought today to assay the effects of Senator Bailey's denunciation of Father Chas. E. Coughlin as a man of "damnable ambition," who seeks to "stir up the foundations of hate in a distressed ang amongst a suffering people." With third party talk very much in

the air, observers also watched to see whether an answer might not be forth

Washington, April 26 (AP)-Absorb- Father Coughlin and Senator Long, Democrat, Louisiana, may unite their

Senator Long was ready to depart for Des Moines, Iowa, where he will speak Saturday before the Farmers Holiday national convention. head of the Farmers Holiday group, Milo Reno, has already advocated a merging of the Coughlin-Long forces. Before a silently listening Senate,

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has learned. jects Must Be Considered by Members

Register of Deeds, Beer Manufacture, Slot Machines, Cotton Tax and Local Government Bills

Remain In the Sir Walter Hotel,

Daily Dispatch Bureau, By C. A. PAUL Raleigh, April 26 .- A heavy caler dar faces the State Senate as it deliberates the biennial appropriations bill which contemplates the spending of more than \$65,000,000 during the

Regarded as of prime importance are two bills which would pave the way for the electrification of thousands of rural homes in remote sections of the State. One of the measures would set up a State rural elctrification commission to represent rural areas and the other bill wuold permit the organization of non-profit corporations in such areas for the purpose of electrifying rural homes through the extension of power lines. Both are Senate bills and have not

been in the lower House. The house bill, offered by Representative Bryant, of Durham, and which has been approved by the house, which would limit the right to obtain a divorce on the grounds of two-years separation to the injured party, thus requiring that applicants for divorce

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## Some Doubt Admits Dual IfDoughton Makes Race

Daily Dispatch Bureau

#### **ERA Bricklayers** Get 12c a Brick

New York, April 26 .- (AP)-Bricklayers working on a relief project averaged \$1 per day for every eight bricks laid, an aldesinvestigating commission

But the relief workers were not getting \$75 a day at that rate, the witness, Edgar S. Hough, made clear. Hough, a statistician, said the men were paid \$12 a day, and laid an averge of 96 bricks.

## REPUBLICANS ARE MORE OPTIMIST

They Think Appeal in 1936 To Disgruntled Consumers May Win

By CHARLES P. STEWART Central Press Staff Writer Washington, April 26.-Republican trategists are fairly optimistic as to G. O. P. prospects in 1936.

They may be unjustifiably so, but hey are moderately hopeful. Even supposing that times improve considerably, these Republicans are of the opinion that a large class of Americans will be sufferers (or will think that they are, anyway) from the very nature of the improvement. Improvement, they reason, inevita-

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# Aged Slaying In Tennessee

Mdisonville, Tenn., April 26.—(AP) Sheriff Hugh Webster, announced today that Bill Lee, 23, captured yes-terday near Murphy, N. C., had confessed killing his grandfather, Jasper Shaw, 60, and Matt Hensley, 65, at the Shaw home near Tellico Plains the night of February 22, but denied clubbing his grandmother to death. "Lee told me he shot old man Shaw and Henley, but said he didn't kill

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FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Fair tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature.

# WOULD BE RAISED TO 10 PCT. LIMIT

Classification of Property Would Be Made And Limit Placed Upon Public Debts

TO INVITE DANIELS TO MAKE A SPEECH

Ambassador to Mexico To Address Joint Session Next Tuesday; No Further Major Changes in Revenue Bill Made by Conferees: Rejected on Thursday

Raleigh, April 26.—(AP)—A varied assortment of Statewide legislation occupied the attention of the legislature today as a new report was awaited from the revenue bill conferees. The assembly wrote into law a bill

to submit to the voters in 1936 a series of proposed amendments to the taxation sections of the State Constitution The Senate concurred in the House amendment to raise the income tax limit from six to ten percent, permit classification of property for taxation and place a new limit on public debts.

The Senate sent to the House a reasure backed by Governor Ehringhaus which would permit the organi. zation of non-profit membership corporations for the encouragement of rural electrification. The firms could issue bonds, as well as buy, sell and distribute electricity. It was a companion bill to the one sent the House yesterday authorizing creation of a State rural electrification authority. Both houses voted to ask Josephus Daniels, ambassador to Mexico, and Raleigh newspaper publisher, to d-

dress a joint session of the legislature at noon April 80. The revenue conferees who presented their report to the House late yesterday, only to have it rejected by an overwhelming vote, were reported ready to offer a new compromise pro-

Word from the conference group (Continued on Page Two)

#### Mine Trouble Is Feared In Illinois Area

Springfield, Ill., April 26.-(AP)-Alarmed by the influx of thousands of Illinois miners, authorities of the State were tense today fearing renewed violence in the loag-standing mine war that has torn sporaidcally

through the Illinois coal fields.

Throughout the early morning hours, trucks rumbled into the city, adding scores to massed miners, estimated by authorities at more than 2,000. They were established in en. campments in two city parks. Further contingents were reported

o be moving along the highways into Springfield. All special police and special deouties were called into emergency service last night by authorities fearing attack on the city jail, where three men, members of the United Mine

Workers of America, are held on day, thus sidetracking the anti-lynch-charges of slaying a member of the ing measure. rival mine union, the Progressive

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Financial Bureau.

made a point to check Easter trade

realizes, retail trade is the real back-

bone of business. In fact, it is one

of the five basic indicators which I

of general business, but they are very

helpful in judging public sentiment.

Business Holds Near February Peak

Hence, the good volume of buying throughout most of the nation at this

Easter season was decidedly optimis-

tic. Even though relief funds had a

carefully. As every reader

New York City, April 26.—On my

# VANCE SALARY BILL, WITH HUGE SLASHES, **ENACTED BY HOUSE**

**Guides Four Billion** 



Frank C. Walker Former head of the National Emergency Council, Frank C. Walker has been named by President Roosevelt as the man through whose hands applications for allotments from the \$4,880,000,000 work-relief fund will be cleared. Mayors, governors, members of congress and others will submit their projects to a new division of the NEC set up by the former Montana lawyer, who is an old friends of the president's.

# ew Boost For Silver Price Near

Washington, April 26 .- (AP) - The administration fitted in additional cogs of its \$4,000,000,000 job-making machine today, with the appointment of arry L. Hopkins to head the important "division of progress."

Hopkins, present relief administrator, will be among the President's lieutenants who will confer with him at the White House tonight on plans for getting the works program under way within ten days.

Meanwhile, a close watch was kept on the Treasury for posible announcement that the government would again boost its ilver price-now 77.57 cents an ounce for domestic newly. mined metal-to keep ahead of rapidly advancing world markets.

The Senate found itself again embroiled in heated dispute over antilynching legislation, with southern senators continuing filibustering tactics. Their intention was to keep on util the bonus bill is called up Mon-

The House moved slowly toward final vote-possibly today-on the \$460,000,000 naval appropriations bill.

big part in this trade, I have found

that nearly every line of industry, barring home building, is doing very

well and is holding close to its Feb-

my recent trans-continental trip, con-

ditions vary greatly in different sec-

tions at present. This fact was again

impressed upon me on my journey

North from Florida. People here in

ago, but they are more pessimistic

New York City's trade figures re-

flected her dejected spirits, but con-

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than in any other place I have been

Delayed Purchases Will Give May Good Boost; Claims

if Political Situation Could Be Cleaned Up, Unem-

ployment Would Vanish Overnight

way North during thep ast week I ruary peak. But, as I reported during

study most carefully. Not only are such figures an excellent barometer optimistic than they were a month

since January.

Measure Goes to Senate After Immediate Passage in House Upon Introduction SHERIFF'S SALARY

IS LOWERED TO \$2,400

Would Get \$900 for Travel in Addition; Auditor Cut in Half and Welfare Officer 40 Percent; All Fees Collected Would Go Into Salary Fund

> Dally Dispatch Bureau. In the Sir Waiter Hotel.

BY J. C. DASKERVILL. Raleigh, April 26-A bill to fix the the salaries of Vance county officials was introduced in the House this afternoon by Representative O. S. Falkner, of that county, and was immediately passed and sent to the Senate. It carries some sharp reductions in

salaries. The bill, as passed, fixes the salary of the sheriff at \$2,400 a year, as compared with \$3,600 at present, and allows him an additional \$900 for travel expenses. This would become effective after the next general election. The sheriff would be allowed one deputy at a salary of \$1,200 a year, with an allowance of \$600 for travel ex-

Other salaries are fixed by the bill as follows, all on a yearly basis: County jailor, \$600

Clerk of superior court, \$2,500 jun Deputy clerk of superior count, \$1 Register of deeds, \$2,500 unchange Deputy clerk to register of deeds

Members of board of county com (Continued on Page 5143

### Girl Pleads For Life Of HerKidnaper

Jefferson City, Mo., April 26 .-(AP)-Miss Mary McElroy pleaded with Governor Guy B. Park today to spare the life of Walter H. McGhee. leader of the gang that kidnaped her for \$30.000 ran-

som nearly two years ago.

Virtually all legal avenues of escaping the gallows had been closed to McGhee when the 26year-old daughter of H. H. Mc-Elroy, city manager of Kansas City, visited the governor in behalf, said, of both kidnaper and victim.

"In pleading for Walter Mc-Ghee's life, I am pleading for my own peace of mind." said the tall brunette, in her formal appeal to the executive.

She was accompanied here by McGhee, the first person in the United States to be given the death pensity for kidnaping, is in jail in Kansas City under sentence

#### to be hanged May 10. Senate May Be First To Since 1931, Babson Says Act On NRA

#### President Reported Willing To That To Quell Rising Unrest In House

Washington, April 26 .- (AP)-Authoritative sources reported today that President Roosevelt is willing that the Senate should pass the RA extension bill first in an effort to quell threatening unrest in the Ho se. For months many House members have objected that they were being forced to "take the rap" by parting controversial administration

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